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THE WEIGHT OF THE CREWS

MYRTLE AND HEALANI SENIORS BALANCE.

Leilani Boat Will Carry the Heaviest Men—Everything in Readiness for Tomorrow's Races.

The total weight of the oarsmen making up the senior crew of the Heilani is 575 pounds. The four men in the Myrtle senior crew do not quite come up to that mark, being two pounds less in weight. The Leilani senior crew will weigh 600 pounds, if not a little more.

The Heilani juniors are 45 pounds heavier than the seniors. The Myrtle junior crew weighs 563 pounds.

The junior race will be rowed first tomorrow afternoon. The start will be made at near 4:15 o'clock as possible. The senior race will follow shortly afterward.

The first train to Pearl Harbor will leave the Oahu depot at 1:45 o'clock. The second train will depart at 3:15 o'clock, and will be made up into as many sections as will accommodate the people. These will arrive at their destination a few moments of 4 o'clock.

All business houses, save the grocery stores, will close from 1 until 6 o'clock. Following is a complete list of the signers:

M. McInerney, Hollister & Co., Frank J. Kruger, S. Roth, J. M. Webb, Hobron Drug Co., per A. B. H. G. Bieri, L. E. Tracy, E. A. Jacobson, E. W. Jordan, H. F. Wichman, H. W. Schmidt & Sons, Thos. G. Thrum, The Kash by I. Livingston, John Nott, Hawaiian Gazette Co., Medeiros & Decker, B. F. Ehlers Co., Wall, Nichols & Co., W. W. Dimond, Hopp & Co., Hawaiian News Co., Ltd., per J. E. Soper, J. T. Waterhouse, California Feed Co., per T. J. King, Union Feed Co., per C. B. Gray, Washington Feed Co., per S. Lowden, J. S. Martin, L. B. Kerr, Lewers & Cooke, F. Souza, Temple of Fashion, Manufacturers Shoe Co., per W. W. McInerney, J. J. Egan, City Feed Store, N. S. Sachs, John Nott.

Chairman Charles Gray of the Regatta committee, was at Pearl Harbor today making arrangements for the reception of the public tomorrow. The trees and shrubs along the banks have been cleaned off and benches will be provided for the comfort of the spectators.

The Government band will go to the harbor on the last train. Bandmaster Berger has selected a choice program, one of the numbers being the Myrtle march.

The course has been staked off with flags and each crew has a clear course. The finish will be near the railroad pier.

Through the kindness of Captain Nelson of the Bennington, the judges and newspaper representatives will be able to follow the crews in the flight for victory, in the Bennington's steam launch.

Following is the personnel of the various crews:

MYRTLE SENIOR.

Stroke—Olaf Sorenson.
No. 3—Leslie P. Scott.
No. 2—Percy Lishman.
Bow—W. H. Crozier.
Coxswain—Arthur Wilder.

MYRTLE JUNIOR.

Stroke—William Lyle.
No. 3—W. F. Damon.
No. 2—Charles Crane.
Bow—Sam Johnson.
Coxswain—Arthur Wilder.

HEALANI SENIOR.

Stroke—J. W. Lloyd.
No. 3—James Spencer.
No. 2—Henry Williams.
Bow—Fred B. Damon.
Coxswain—Nelson Lansing.

HEALANI JUNIOR.

Stroke—C. H. Trany.
No. 3—C. C. Rhodes.
No. 2—J. T. Waterhouse.
Bow—R. W. Atkinson.
Coxswain—Nelson Lansing.

LEILANI SENIOR.

Stroke—S. E. P. Taylor.
No. 3—Prince Cupid.
No. 2—John Lane.
Bow—Chris Willis.
Coxswain—Ollie Lucas.

LEILANI JUNIOR.

Stroke—Prince David.
No. 3—William Kealoha.
No. 2—Joe Conradt.
Bow—Samuel Woods.
Coxswain—Ollie Lucas.

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WANT TO GROW TOBACCO

CARL VOGT'S SONS OF NEW YORK INTERESTED.

Write to W. W. Dimond for Information—Ask Him to Experiment With the Best Seeds.

W. W. Dimond, the King street merchant, has just received a letter from Carl Vogt's sons, the big tobacco firm of New York, which inquires into the possibility of raising tobacco in the Hawaiian Islands.

The tobacco people write in a portion of the letter as follows: "If the Hawaiian Islands should be annexed we assume tobacco will be entered free of duty, and if you can raise tobacco over there this country will be an excellent market."

"If you can interest anybody to make a small trial, we would be pleased to send you the very best tobacco seed, free of charge, and also directions how to raise it as far as we know."

Mr. Dimond is of the firm opinion that leaf tobacco can be grown in the Islands. He believes that if Carl Vogt's Sons could be convinced of this by a successful experiment that it would induce these people to go into tobacco growing quite extensively. With one big firm successfully growing tobacco in the Islands, others will quickly follow.

Mr. Dimond will be pleased to talk with any tiller of the soil who thinks he might care to experiment with Vogt's Sons' seeds.

Agricultural Commissioner Marsden has experimented with tobacco. He does not think that the filler tobacco will grow successfully in the Islands, but is enthusiastic over the fine healthy leaf tobacco which he has raised. The success of tobacco raising lies in the curing largely and Vogt's Sons will send an expert to the Islands to look after this part of the experiment.

LEILANI BOYS PROTEST.

Want the Racing Boats to be Weighed Tomorrow.

The fact has become known that the Myrtle and Heilani four oared shells have been altered in weight to some extent. The captains explain that this has been found necessary in order to adapt the boat to the stroke made.

However, the Leilani's, through Captain J. Kalinannole, today filed this protest with Secretary Crane of the Honolulu Rowing Association:

"We find it within our rights as a member of the H. R. A. and a party to the compact governing the series of races commencing on Saturday, to call your attention to the fact, that we consider it within your power, and our privilege, to ask you to have the three boats, as agreed by the compact, weighed on the day of the races, and any boat that is found to be more than ten points less in weight than the heaviest, shall carry weights accordingly. We address this solely in the interests of fair racing, as we understand the spirit, purpose and intention of our compact, and in view of the fact that some of the boats have been so altered from their original weights as to materially lessen their weight, and cause them to be more buoyant, thereby defeating the terms and purposes of our compact."

"We are agreeable if your committee deem it proper to place scales on our landing, at Pearl Harbor, for the purpose of weighing these boats."

"We wish to impress upon you that in the event of this not effecting, it will no way interfere with our racing as we shall row to win."

STRUCK LIVING WATER.

Small Artesian Well in the New King Wharf Slip.

While drilling through the land ledge in the new King's wharf slip a few days ago, the workmen were surprised to find a jet of fresh water coming through the pipe. When the hole was filled with powder and the blast fired, a flow of fresh water followed, indicating the presence of an artesian well of considerable size, the water spouting above the surface of the harbor to a noticeable height for a short time. At first it was believed that the underground river from which the city's principal water supply comes, had been tapped, but as the volume of water has diminished rapidly ever since it was struck, it is now thought that only a small pocket was cut into. The flow of fresh water has not at all interfered with the work.

LAHAINA WELLS.

The Wainalea brings down word that the well borers at Kanaupali on Maui have met with splendid success. They have sunk three wells and in each instance struck a good flow at a depth of 45 feet, furnishing all the water necessary for the plantation supply. The new pumping plants have already been erected, and there will be no complaint of the drought in that vicinity in the future.

MAKES A REPLICATION.

The Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar Company today made a replication to the answer of Claus Spreckels, defendant, in the bill of equity for declaration and specific performance of trust. General Hartwell is the attorney for the Commercial Company.

STILL GOING.

Those who are purchasing K. Furuya's goods appreciate the good bargains offered.

EXTRA SESSION CLOSED

SENATE ADJOURNS ITS MEETING SINE DIE.

President Wilder Affixes His Signature to the Resolutions—Senator Cecil Brown Looks to the Future.

The Hawaiian Senate convened at 9 o'clock this morning. Every Senator was present. President Dole occupied a seat near the Cabinet table. This was his first appearance in the Cabinet chamber.

There was a much larger attendance of spectators than at any previous session. Quite a number of ladies were interested visitors.

Rev. J. Kaulane, the Senator from Hawaii, gave the morning prayer. Secretary Clay then read the minutes of yesterday's session.

Senator Rice, of Kauai, chairman of the Resolutions committee, sent to the President's desk, engrossed copies of the resolutions, in English and in Hawaiian, ratifying the treaty. President Wilder affixed his signature to each of the documents and then asked the further pleasure of the Senators.

Senator Cecil Brown of Oahu moved that the Senate adjourn sine die. He hoped that the next Senate that would meet within these walls would be a Senate under a government organized by the President of the United States.

An adjournment sine die was then taken, following which came an exchange of general congratulations between the President, Cabinet Ministers, Senators and the visitors, upon the work accomplished in the extra session.

The resolutions, short and to the point, are as follows:

"Be it resolved by the Senate of the Republic of Hawaii:

"That the Senate hereby ratifies and advises and consents to the ratification by the President of the treaty between the Republic of Hawaii and the United States of America on the subject of the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands to the United States of America, concluded at Washington on the 16th day of June, 1897, which treaty is word for word as follows."

The treaty then follows.

WILL GET THEM ALL.

People coming from Hilo have no hesitancy in saying that Mr. James, the coffee planter of Oahu, will be elected to the Legislature over A. B. Lobenstein, and his running mates. It is thought he will capture nearly every vote in Oahu. There are some 160 voters there. Mr. James is a new comer to the Island of Hawaii, but is very popular. He is looked upon as a solid and reliable man.

WOLTERS IS ACQUITTED.

The Lihue Bookkeeper Killed His Man in Self Defense.

Word was brought down by the James Makee from Kauai that C. Wolters, the bookkeeper at Lihue plantation, was acquitted of the charge of manslaughter for which he was tried. Wolters shot a Chinese laborer in a gang that attacked the white men on the plantation with knives and hatchets, a few months ago. He made out a case of self defense before the Court. The Chinese had made the attack, and were only repulsed after one of their number had been killed. Wolters was defended by a Honolulu attorney.

A FEEK'S ESTATE.

The petition of James J. Bryne of Honolulu for letters of administration in the estate of A. Feek was before Judge Carter today. Mr. Feek died in Seattle in April last. He was one of the contractors who built the Oahu railway. His estate is valued at \$2,500.

MATE JOHNSON'S SLAYER.

"Three Fingers Jack" Well Known in This City.

"Three Fingers Jack," the sailor under arrest at San Francisco under a charge of murder of First Mate Johnson of the barkentine Irngard, is known in this city. Captain Saunders, the pilot, remembers him as a hard case on the San Francisco front. On one occasion a dozen years ago he got into a row in a water front saloon there and shot a sea captain, for which crime he was never arrested. He was not a sailor on the Irngard, but for some years past has been a boatman about San Francisco bay. Although the belief is general that Johnson met with foul play at the hands of his companion, it is not likely that the boatman will ever be convicted of the crime. Johnson is known to have been a strong swimmer, so that the theory that he fell overboard does not carry much weight with it.

GOOD APPOINTMENT.

President Dole has appointed Geo. W. Smith of the drug firm of Benson, Smith & Co., a member of the Board of Education, to fill a vacancy which has long existed.

GOLD ON THE MEXICO.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 1.—The Gold Lake Mining Company at the head of which is Ex-Governor Swineford, was thrown into consternation by the news that 2000 pounds of valuable gold ore belonging to the company went down in the steamer Mexico. It was not known that the company's representative had shipped it by that boat until today.

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SOME SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

MR. AND MRS. TOM MAY'S DANCING PARTY.

Mrs. Sewall Gives a Delightful Luncheon—Miss Jones' Poi Supper for Hilo Friends—Other Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom May gave a brilliant dancing party at their home on the Plains. A lanai was built out in the yard among the trees. The decorations were most novel in that they were natural and growing in the soil. Through the floor of the lanai grew bushes and vines, while palm branches found their way into the lanai. English and American flags were neatly hung up in appropriate places. The premises were illuminated with electric lights and Chinese lanterns. A delicious supper was served. The guests were: United States Consul General and Mrs. Haywood, British Vice Consul and Mrs. T. R. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Renjes, Mr. and Mrs. James, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. Beckley, Mr. and Mrs. Faxon Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Tenney, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert, Sir Robert and Lady Herron, Dr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Wray Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swany, Mr. and Mrs. Baird, Mr. Wight, the Misses Kelley, Juliette King, Zoe Atkinson, Allie Wall, Myra Sloggett, Bernice Young, Miss Clark, Messrs. John Humbert, Scholtz, Von Hamm, Arthur Wall, W. E. Wall and many others.

Mrs. Harold M. Sewall gave a pretty luncheon at the American legation in Walkiki on Wednesday. The decorations were pale pink asters. Those present were: Mrs. William Haywood, Mr. Hobron, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. E. K. Wilder, Mrs. Arthur M. Brown, Mrs. W. A. Kinney, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Herman Focke, Mrs. Porter Boyd, Mrs. D. P. Birnie and Mrs. Paul Isenberg.

Miss Alice Jones gave a supper at her home on Kuakini street last evening, complimentary to the Misses Ivy and Mattie Richardson of Hilo. A typical Hawaiian feast, specially prepared by natives, was spread under a tent out on the lawn. The table was tastefully arranged in the shape of a "U." A profusion of icle, vines and ferns made a most unique arrangement of decorations, which harmonized perfectly. Electric lights and Japanese lanterns made a brilliant illumination. The ladies were each given a name of some capital city in the United States. Each gentleman was given a name of a state, and the lady holding the name of the capital city of his state was his escort for supper. The Quintette club supplied music during the evening. Miss Jones' guests were: The Misses Ivy and Mattie Richardson, of Hilo, Juliette King, Mamie Wildfield, Clara Fuller, May Damon, Edna Kelley, Grace King, Myra Angus, Frances Kinney, Florence Carter, Mabel Sorenson, May Hart, May Young, Bessie Carrie and Martha Mofong; Dr. Smith, Messrs. John Soper, Harry Mist, A. Mackintosh, Henry Waterhouse, Albert Waterhouse, C. W. Dickey, Clarence Smith, Wm. Castle, Seymour Hall, Fred Angus, George Fuller, Edwin Paris, Charles Weight, Clarence and Montague Cooke, James, Allan and Henry Judd.

The members of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity in this city were pleasantly entertained last evening by Professor Theodore Richards of Kanabeha school. College reminiscences and fraternity songs contributed to the jolly time. The supper table was very tastefully decorated with the garland and gold colors, prettily represented by coroposs flowers. The members of this Mid-Pacific Association are: Minister F. M. Hatch of Bowdoin college, Judge Frear of Yale, Judge A. S. Hartwell of Harvard, Dr. F. R. Day of the University of Michigan, L. H. McGrew of Kenyon, Professor Richards, A. M. Atherton and F. C. Atherton of Wesleyan.

The children of St. Andrew's priory will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Tom May this evening. Social games and dancing will take place on the lanai built on the lawn. Ice cream and cake will be served.

Mr. Watson Wyman gave a delightful informal dinner party to a number of his gentlemen friends at the home of Dr. Monsarrat on Makiki street last evening.

Miss Paris entertained a party of city folk at her place at the Peninsula, on Wednesday.

American Minister and Mrs. Sewall give a bathing party at the legation this evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Day gave a dinner on Wednesday in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Brooks, who are in the city for a brief period, en route home from the Orient.

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WATCH DUTY SUSPENDED

UNCLE SAM'S NAVY OFFICERS ARE HAPPY.

And so are the Honolulu Young Ladies Who Like to Have More of Their Society—Roosevelt's Order.

The naval officers are happy. By the Coptic they learned of an important change which Assistant Secretary Roosevelt has made in the matter of keeping watch duty.

The navy regulations contained an article, No. 284, which provides that "the captain shall not permit officers to do in more than five nor if practicable in less than three watches," and it further states that "the captain shall regulate the manner of keeping watch, both at port and sea, having due regard for the duties of the ship and the comfort of the officers."

None of the captains have taken advantage of this paragraph, and their subordinates have consequently been kept on watch duty on occasions when they could easily be engaged in other work.

Acting Secretary Roosevelt proposes to relieve the younger officers of the line from the monotony of keeping watch where it can be done with safety. He regards watch duty as practically useless, while in port or at sea in calm weather, and has directed that such service be discontinued, and that the time thus saved be utilized in the drilling and exercising of enlisted men.

Mr. Roosevelt's innovation in the naval service was made him popular in naval circles. Already Uncle Sam's officers in Honolulu have uttered favorable commendations.

Then again young society ladies are saying nice things about Mr. Roosevelt, and were he to visit here they would surely lavish their attentions upon him.

The officers now in port are a clever lot of fellows and their society is much sought after.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Educational commissioners in their session yesterday afternoon voted to introduce the study of German and French into the Honolulu High school. Mme. Boergli was given the appointment of German and French teacher.

Upon the recommendation of Principal M. M. Scott, another room was added to the Grammar grades of the High school. There are 150 pupils in the Grammar grades and more are expected. Miss Cartwright was given the appointment.

SOME CHANGES MADE.

Inspector General of Schools Reports on Normal School Matters.

Inspector General of Schools Townsend has made a report to the Educational department upon the Normal school changes. J. L. Dumas has resigned and Mrs. Dumas declined to accept the position of teacher in the Practice school. Edgar Wood, formerly of the High school, has been appointed principal of the Normal school and Mrs. A. H. Turner has supplied the vacancy in the Practice school.

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MUST SHOE THEIR HORSES.

The crusade against Chinese who drive shoeless horses attached to heavily loaded wagons over the rough road still continues. Police Judge Wilcox is fully in sympathy with the movement. Yesterday he fined Kook Ka who refused to shoe his horse \$3 and \$1.20 costs, and warned him if he did not have his horse shod he would be arrested again and fined the limit. Mounted Patrolman Pierson arrested On Tim on a similar charge. He was released on \$20 bail.

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